

# Your Roadmap to Career Success!

## Follow these 4 Essential Milestones

### Take Action

#### 1. Explore Your Options

Complete the [Focus2 online self-assessment](#) to connect your interests and personality with majors and career paths.

Learn more about career paths by finding a mentor via [SJSU<sup>2</sup> Mentoring & Meetups](#) and conduct informational interviews

Find on-campus and work study positions posted in [Handshake](#)

Attend the Career Carnival\*

#### 2. Identify Your Skills

Compare your skills to your target positions and identify skills to build using the [Job Gap Analysis handout](#)

Use the [VMock](#) platform to perfect your resume and upload it to [Handshake](#)

Build experience by joining [Recognized Student Organizations](#)

Attend the Leadership & Career Conference\*

#### 3. Build Experience

Log in to [Handshake](#) and fill out your career interest survey to customize your job and internship feed and apply to opportunities

Develop new skills using [LinkedIn Learning](#)

Start completing your [Career Plan Checklist](#) to ensure you are on track to meet your career goals

Attend job & internship fairs\*

#### 4. Launch Your Career

Apply to positions 3-9 months before graduation or review graduate school options

Practice interviewing with the [Big Interview](#) online platform

Finalize your [Career Plan Checklist](#) and confirm your progress with a career counselor

Attend employer connection events\* (on and off campus)

Attend the New Grad Career Bootcamp\*

\* all events detailed in [Handshake](#)

If you need guidance along the way, connect with our [Career Counseling Team](#).